

Welcome to the Parish of Horndon, Orsett and Bulphan

Weekly notice sheet



Sunday 13th August 2023 - 10th Sunday after Trinity 8.45am CW Holy Communion Service, 10am Family Service with a baptism At St Mary the Virgin Church, Bulphan

At a Communion Service if you require gluten free wafers please let the minister know when you go forward to receive. The 10am service may be recorded for our website. If you do not wish to be recorded please speak to a churchwarden.

If you attend a service because you wish to apply for a place for your child at a church school which requires a letter or Supplementary Information Form, please make sure, each time you attend, you sign the red attendance book which is available at the back of church.

If you attend a service to gain a Qualifying Connection in order to be married at any of the three churches, please make sure, each time you attend, you sign the purple attendance book which will be available at the back of church.

Today's Collect - Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion - God of our pilgrimage, you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Dear Everyone,

I hope you have been enjoying the warmer weather over the past couple of days.

Despite the rain, we had a lovely Forest Church last weekend when we made bird feeders using cored apples and pumpkin and sunflower seeds. The next Forest Church is on 2nd September in Orsett show but it will be back on Saturday 1st October at Horndon. More details to follow.....

On Saturday evening, at Orsett Church at 7pm, I will sharing some photos and reflections on my experience of walking the Camino. All are welcome. More details are available on page 2 of the notices.

As you are all aware, it costs a huge amount of money to keep our churches going and part of our Christian stewardship requires us to give generously. Thank you to those of you who give regularly to support the work of the church; your generosity is greatly appreciated. As you will be aware, our Sunday church collections have, for many years, been received in cash but we now live in a society where carrying cash and cheque books are becoming a thing of the past for many people. We are currently researching possibilities for contactless giving in church and we have also created a QR code which, from this Sunday onwards, will be available in the pews to enable you, should you wish, at the time the collection is taken, to give using your mobile phones along with your bank details. No app is needed to download the QR code, just a mobile phone with a camera. It is also available on page 2 of this notice sheet. We will, of course, continue to have a cash collection at services and the Parish Giving Scheme is available for anyone who wishes to give regularly. We will keep you updated regarding contactless. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Please do remember those on our prayer list; there are many people in our Parish at the moment in need. And please continue to let me know of any other prayer and pastoral needs.

I look forward to seeing you soon. Take care and God bless,

Sue



Eco Pause for Thought

Avoid cutting your grass. Keeping grass long will help retain moisture, provide a source of shelter for insects and mammals and keep the topsoil from blowing away.









Thurrock Foodbank

Your continued support is much appreciated. The Parish has four collection boxes as listed below:

Horndon 1, Lion Cottages, High RdOrsett The Rectory, School LaneBulphan 24, Church Lane &

Bulphan Stores

Shortages this week are: Custard, tinned fruit, mashed potatoes, cooking sauces, sponge puddings, angel delight, jelly, tomato and meat soups, jams and spreads and packet rice.





Diary Dates

Services

- Next week's Sunday services (20th August) 8.45am BCP Holy Communion Service and 10am Holy Communion Service and 4pm Refresh Service at Horndon Church
- Advance notice—Our Harvest Festival service will be on Sunday 24th September at 10am in Bulphan Church, entertainment and refreshments will be provided.
- Evening Prayers are at 6.30pm and are found on Facebook @HOBNOBChurches
- If you would like to listen to daily prayers, these can be heard at https://www.chpublishing.co.uk/apps/time-to-pray
- Daily Hope, a free phone line of hymns, reflections and prayers can be found on 0800 8048044

Advance notices

- Next baptism preparation meeting is on Monday 14th August 7.30pm at Orsett Church
- The funeral of Paul Challis will be on Friday 18th August at 11.30am at Bowers Gifford Crematorium.
- The funeral of Irene Wellman will be on Tuesday 22nd August in Bulphan Church, time to be confirmed.
- The interment of George Roast's ashes will be on Tuesday 22nd August at 2pm at Orsett Church
- The funeral of Dr John Benjafield will be on Tuesday 29th August at 12.00 in Bulphan Church.

Dates for your diary....

Prayers for the week

Prayer Diary

- TENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY Please pray for the Diocesan Chancellor, Philippa Hopkins, and those who work in our Diocesan Registry: Aiden Hargreaves-Smith, Registrar; Melanie Tucker, Registry Administrator.
- Pray for: Iglesia Anglicana de Chile
- Prayers for the rest of the week can be found here-: https://www.chelmsford.anglican.org/uploads/publications/ wepray/WePray-June-Aug23.pdf

Parish prayer diary

Horndon Carol N, Jean T, David St P, Kevin H. Stephen B, Cleveland K, Freddy, Nick T, Moira, Ivy

Orsett Mike R, Di B, Margaret C

Brian F, Anita J Bulphan

Hazel K, Elizabeth, Dottie and her family Other

Prayers for the recently bereaved

Horndon The family and friends of John Ward.

The family and friends of Joan Mackenzie, Victor Johnson, Maureen Dovey. Orsett

The family and friends of Irene Wellman, Dr John Benjafield, Bulphan

Other The family and friends of Paul Challis, George Roast.

Please let Revd Sue of people who are unwell or in need of pastoral support.

Hobnob Magazine

- September edition—Please submit articles to Ron by August 21st email: r.porter@hobnob.org.uk
- The online version of the magazine can be found on our website news page www.hobnob.org.uk/magazine

Individual Private Prayer The following churches are open for private prayer—10am to noon

Bulphan Church Monday and Thursday Free refreshments are available on Horndon-on-the-Hill Church Tuesday and Saturday Monday, Tuesday and Saturday.



	Bible Readings for this week		Principal Service				
				, 0		Romans 10.5–15 Matthew 14.22–33	
	Morning prayer	Night prayer			Morning prayer		Night prayer
Mon	Psalm 71 Jeremiah 41 Mark 2.23—3.6	Psalm 72 1 Samuel 24 Acts 3.11–end		Tues	Psalm 98 Isaiah 7.10–15 Luke 11.27–28		Psalm 132 Song of Solomon 2.1–7 Acts 1.6–14
Weds	Psalm 77 Jeremiah 43	Psalm 119.81–104 1 Samuel 28.3–en		Thurs	Psalm 78.1–39* Jeremiah 44.1–14		Psalm 78.40–end* 1 Samuel 31

Mon	Jeremiah 41 Mark 2.23—3.6	1 Samuel 24 Acts 3.11–end	Tues	Isaiah 7.10–15 Luke 11.27–28	Song of Solomon 2.1–7 Acts 1.6–14
Weds	Psalm 77 Jeremiah 43 Mark 3.19b –end	Psalm 119.81–104 1 Samuel 28.3–end Acts 4.13–31	Thurs	Psalm 78.1–39* Jeremiah 44.1–14 Mark 4.1–20	Psalm 78.40–end* 1 Samuel 31 Acts 4.32–5.11
Fri	Psalm 55 Jeremiah 44.15–end Mark 4.21–34	Psalm 69 2 Samuel 1 Acts 5.12–26	Sat	Psalm 76 Jeremiah 45 Mark 4.35–end	Psalm 84 2 Samuel 2.1–11 Acts 5.27–end

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